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health here. Mother has not been feeling quite so well for a while, but is better again. she has been confined to the house more than usual on account of so much snow and cold weather, and that does not agree with her. Joanna and the children are well. Bernice visits us very often, she runs back and forth alone now.

With kindest good wishes for you all, I am

Very truly,
Sarah.

Along with this letter, I send a little box for Mauda and Helen.

Portage, Wis.
Dec. 13th/93

Dear Brother and Sister,
The glad

Christmas time is coming near, and again I send you Christmas greetings, and pray that our heavenly Father may send you his best gifts through the coming year, with plenty of good cheer to enjoy them to the utmost.

I feel that one of my

very great blessings, is
the having so many good
brothers and sisters with
whom I may exchange
the glad, good wishes
of the season, and all
seasons for that matter.

Mother received a letter
to-day from you John, and
she tells me that you are
all well except Grandma.
I am very sorry to know
that she is ill, and hope
that she may soon recover.
Tell her I always hold her
in loving remembrance.

I can never forget her great
kindness to Mary and L.

This year, I hope there will
be no grippie to hinder you
and the children from
enjoying the holidays.
The disease is very prevalent
here, I do not think I ever
knew a time, when there was
more sickness, and death,
in Portage than now.

The winter thus far has
been quite severe, with a
great deal of snow-fall.
There is rain, and thaw
to-day, but we are told
there is a cold wave at hand.
With you, I suppose there
is sunshine and roses.

We are all in our usual